

**Issues/Programs Quarterly Report**

July 1, 2005 – September 30, 2005

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#### **CONSUMER**

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##### **Wake Restaurants**

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Wake County inspectors.

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##### **Best Mattress**

Consumer Reports tested mattresses to see if they could determine which ones is the best choice. The conclusion – it is personal preference and you should do a 15 minute test to see which one fits you.

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##### **Lawn Mowers**

Consumer Reports tested lawn mowers to see which ones rated best.

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##### **MIA Landscaper**

A Johnston county man hired Carolina Landscape and Turf paying him a \$800 deposit to do the job. However, when the company never showed and never provided a refund, he called 5 On Your Side. We called the company and they said the refund slipped through the cracks, but would issue a new one.

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##### **No Surgery**

A Wake County woman became concerned when she saw a charge for 'surgery' on her insurance benefits form after visiting Raleigh Hand Center; she didn't have surgery. We called the doctor's office and the insurance company and they explained it was a coding issue and the charges were justified.

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##### **Restaurants by Request**

Viewers let us know which restaurants they want to hear sanitation reports for and we produce!

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##### **Johnston Restaurants**

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Johnston County inspectors.

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##### **Outdoor Furniture**

Consumer Reports looks at outdoor furniture to determine if you have to pay big bucks for quality and style. They found that depending on the material, you're probably just as well off with the inexpensive choice.

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##### **IIHS Cell Phone Study**

According to a study by the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, drivers who talk on their cell phone are 4 times more likely to get into a serious car crash than those that don't talk on the phone. Also, the hands-free set does not seem to improve that statistic.

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##### **Spring Hope**

A resident of Spring Hope contacted us after she felt the town wasn't following its own ordinances. An industrial company nearby was overflowing onto residential property and the town refused to stop it. We called the parties involved and eventually the company started to clean up the lot.

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#### **Bogus Bank Service**

It's called 'bounce protection', but what Consumer Reports found is it's really not protecting you at all. In fact, the service that is meant to be like overdraft protection can end up costing you more than the check that caused the bounce protection to kick in. Consumer Reports recommends opting OUT of this program and going with a traditional overdraft protection like a line of credit or connecting your savings account to the checking account.

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#### **Wake Restaurants**

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Wake county inspections.

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#### **Paving Problem**

A Goldsboro man agreed to have a paving company who called themselves "Tommy's Paving" pave his driveway. They insisted he pay them 3,000 in cash the day the service started. After doing so, he determined the work was shoddy and incomplete. He called 5 On Your Side after unsuccessful attempts to get his money refunded. We called the numbers the customer was given and although they denied knowing the company, but somehow the consumer's money was refunded.

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#### **Easy Financial Services**

Several people contacted us that have fallen victim to this company. It was a real-estate scheme conducted by Jim Davis. After numerous calls to victims and parties involved, we found out the FBI was investigating the company.

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#### **Disposable Digital**

With the popularity of digital cameras, it's no surprise they now have disposable digital cameras. Consumer Reports tested them for quality and appeal.

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#### **Restaurants By Request**

Viewers request which restaurants they want to hear sanitation reports for in our viewing area. We get the information from Environmental Services where inspectors perform the inspections.

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#### **Improve Credit Score**

Consumer Reports points out how important credit score is when buying a home or making a large investment. So if you have a have a score that could use a little improvement, a mortgage broker can perform a service called "rapid rescoring". It allows you to pay off credit cards, etc. and then information is sent quickly to reflect those changes in your score. It could cost hundreds, but Consumer Reports says it can be worth it.

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#### **Wake Restaurants**

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Wake County inspectors.

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#### **Easy Folo**

A follow-up to the Easy Financial Services story last week. The owner Jim Davis was arrested. We highlighted several of the victims' stories related to this company and their unlawful practices.

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#### **Assisted Living**

Consumer Reports did a 3-month investigation and found numerous assisted living facilities are unregulated and vary in the care they provide.

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#### **LCD Monitors**

Consumer Reports put these monitors to the test as they are decreasing in size and increasing in style!

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#### **Wake Restaurants**

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#### **Golden Pond**

When a parking lot was established after the Whitney's moved in, they felt it was a violation of the covenants. After numerous attempts with their homeowner's association and the builder to do something about the lot, they called 5 On Your Side. We called the parties involved and were told the unlicensed vehicles would be removed from the lot, but the lot was to stay. We are updating viewers as to what happens.

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#### **Specialty Mattresses**

Consumer Reports tested the expensive mattresses to see if it's worth paying the big bucks. They found that the real test comes down to personal preference and you just have to test the mattress out yourself with a 15 minute test.

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#### **Tents**

Consumer Reports tested tents for durability, size and ease of use.

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#### **Durham Restaurants**

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Durham County inspectors.

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#### **Cabinet Refund**

A viewer hired Labert Cabinet and Woodworks to replace cabinet fronts and drawers. When he paid \$840 for the deposit in April, the company never returned. When we called the company he blamed the delay on deaths in the family, but 10 days later issued a full refund.

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#### **Exchange Costs**

Consumer Reports looked at the best way to travel overseas in terms of money. They suggested you take some exchanged money with you for arrival and otherwise depending on the type of bank card or credit card you have - that may be the way to go.

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#### **Luxury for Less**

Remodeling a bathroom can be expensive, but Consumer Reports found a whirlpool tub that was top rated and only 7-hundred dollars.

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#### **Tropical Pools**

An Orange County lady purchased a pool from Tropical Pools, but after months for waiting for the concrete, she called 5 On Your Side. We called the company and within days, concrete was laid.

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#### **Wake Restaurants**

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Wake county inspectors.

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#### **Jim Davis Folo**

We got a hold of a DVD used by Jim Davis to promote his business Easy Financial. We highlighted some of the information in it and related it to the personal stories we've heard from 'victims' of this real estate scheme.

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#### **Credit Settlement**

The FTC told companies to stop advertising services as FREE when in actuality consumers were signing up for a 30-day trial. If they didn't cancel in time, they would be charged upwards of 70-dollars.

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#### **Ford Credit**

A wake county woman discovered someone else's late car payments showed up on her credit report. When she couldn't get Ford Credit to understand she didn't co-sign on the vehicle, she called 5 On Your Side. After numerous calls to the company, they finally fixed the problem once and for all.

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#### **Gazebo Update**

A Wake County woman paid 1,000 deposit last May for Danny Jones to build her a gazebo. When he left her with an incomplete job, she called 5 On Your Side. We called the company and were told she would get a refund. When that didn't happen, the consumer built the gazebo herself and loves it!

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#### **Wake Restaurants**

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#### **Beyond Fitness**

A waken county man joined the wake forest location of Beyond Fitness with anticipation the new facility would open in a couple of months. When months passed and the gym wasn't opened, he called the company and was told it would be a few more months. He then asked for his refund and when he didn't get a response, he called 5 On Your Side. We contacted the company and they say a refund will be processed.

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#### **Credit Reports**

The size of a credit report can be daunting. Consumer Reports takes a look at the pertinent things you need to be on the lookout for in hopes of making the task less overwhelming.

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#### **Super Showers**

Consumer Reports took a look at shower heads that promise a rain-like feel. They found that paying the big bucks doesn't necessarily mean you'll be satisfied.

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#### **Gravestone Folo**

A Cumberland County woman ordered a gravestone from Monument Services and paid 1,000 down. When she didn't get the stone, she called 5 On Your Side. We called the company and he promised to deliver, but never did. When we aired the story another company - Granville Marble and Granite - stepped in and gave her the marker she wanted at no expense to her.

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#### **Wake Restaurants**

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#### **Wavy Floor**

A wake county woman purchased hardwood floor from Home Depot. Months after installation, she noticed buckling. It was finally determined it had to do with installation. We called the Home Depot after her numerous attempts to resolve and Home Depot agreed to refund her money plus 500!

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#### **Super Scanners**

Consumer Reports tested new scanners that can take old slides and negatives and breathe new life into them by creating photos.

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#### **Conserving Gas**

5 On Your Side looks at ways to conserve gas that you may or may not have thought of. Some of the things we found - riding with your windows down can increase amount of gas used and riding with a trunk full as well.

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#### **Wake Restaurants**

The best and worst scoring restaurants based on inspections from Wake County inspectors.

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#### **All Decked Out**

Paul Shellman paid All Decked Out Leisure 15,000 as a down payment for a pool. He signed the contract at the end of March, but in July when he still didn't have a pool, he called 5 On Your Side. We interviewed the company and they bled the delays on the consumer refusing to offer anything but the installation of the pool.

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#### **Fuel Efficiency**

Consumer Reports found the EPA's test for miles per gallon doesn't always indicate the mileage consumers will actually get on the road in real driving conditions. Consumer Reports analyzed the EPA's results for the last 5 years and found that 90% of the mileage was overstated.

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#### **Golf Course Tree**

A homeowner at Hedingham Golf Community was concerned about an 80 foot tall dead tree 50 feet from his house. He was told he could remove the tree himself or they would wait until January of 2006. We called the golf course and they agreed to get rid of the tree as soon as time permits and they hope that would be in October or November of this year.

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#### **Super Scanners**

Consumer Reports tested scanners that have the capability to scan old negatives and slides. They found it's an economical way to save those items and give them new life!

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#### **Flood Insurance**

In the wake of Hurricane Katrina, 5OYS looked at the need for flood insurance in our area. We talked to professionals and determined the cost of coverage, even in a low risk area, is worth the potential repairs if a flood were to occur.

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#### **Ice Cream Ball**

KIDS can now make homemade ice cream fast and fun. Consumer Reports tested a new ice cream maker that is in the shape of a ball. Just add ingredients, roll it around and viola...a tasty treat for all!

### **EDUCATION**

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#### **School money suit**

Schools get 40 million dollars from criminal fines and forfeited items from various agencies. Now, some people are saying more money should have gone to schools.

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#### **Parking fees folo**

Students are mad because they're not old enough to vote for the board members who are increasing their parking fees. Kelcey Carlson has the story.

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#### **EOG scores**

Cullen Browder examines EOG scores for this year, and the results for Wake County are mixed.

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#### **Sanderson students in London**

Sanderson High school students were in London when the terrorist bombings occurred. They're back and telling their story to WRAL's Gloria Lopez.

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#### **Overcrowding solution**

Wake County's solution to over-crowding is to switch six schools to a mandatory year round schedule. Parents are upset, but some say they understand the need to squeeze in 25 percent more kids. Kelcey Carlson has details.

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#### **Parking fee decision**

Students are happy with a decision not to hike student parking passes. Paul Lagrone spoke with students



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and school board members.

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#### **Are year round high schools possible?**

Are year round high schools possible? With 90 new schools are needed by 2020, school leaders are looking into the idea. Kelcey Carlson has more details.

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#### **NCLB figures**

Schools face tougher standers with new federal laws requiring students perform at grade level. And the bar for passing went up in reading and math this year. Renee Chou tells us how students did.

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#### **Finch arrest**

Breaking news concerning the center of the Wake County transportation scandal. Carol Finch was arrested today. Kelcey Carlson is live with details.

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#### **Lee County DOT**

The DOT gave Lee County too much money for a project involving Sanford Middle School. And surprisingly, the DOT is telling the school system to keep the extra money. Kelcey Carlson has the story.

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#### **Lee County DOT money folo**

The dot wants answers about how they overpaid the Lee County school board more than 100-thousand dollars for a project involving a school parking lot. Laurie Clowers has details.

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#### **Warren County NASA**

Seven Astronauts work high above the earth, but closer to home, students at Warren County High School use a shuttle simulator to learn what it's like to travel in space. Fred Taylor has the story.

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#### **Making the Grade**

With the state's no child left behind guidelines, making the grade isn't as easy as just getting good test scores. Julia Lewis explains.

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#### **Dubois fight**

More details tonight about the fight some parents are waging against the school board placing their students at the Dubois Center in Wake Forest. Kelcey Carlson has the story.

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#### **Tax Free Holiday weekend**

Orange County parents are having a hard time shopping this tax free weekend because the school system hasn't sent out their lists yet because of this year's mandatory late school year start date. Melissa Buscher talked to some of the angry parents.

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#### **Lottery**

The lottery dedicates money for school construction and scholarships, but the lottery bill is having trouble getting through the Senate. Laurie Clowers joins us live with details.

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| <b>Nash County School money</b>   |            |        |
| Northern Nash apparently had a system for paying school employees for extra hours that the superintendent did not approve. Kelcey Carlson joins us live from the school.  |            |        |
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| <b>20 year round schools</b>  |            |        |
| Wake County Schools have backed away from a plan to convert as many as 20 schools to a year round schedule in 2006. Kelcey Carlson has the story.   |            |        |
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| <b>DPI school superintendent</b>  |            |        |
| A legislative committee is meeting today to decide who wins the state superintendent of schools race. Laurie Clowers joins us live from the legislature with more.  |            |        |
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| <b>RM Edgecombe County Schools</b>  |            |        |
| Students in Rocky Mount/Edgecombe County schools are heading back to school before everyone else. That's because the county got special permission from the state to start the school year early. Mike Charbonneau tells us that the reaction to the early start time has been mixed.                     |            |        |
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| <b>Teacher mentors</b>  |            |        |
| School administrators in Durham are doing more to keep teachers in the classrooms. They believe mentoring could be the answer. Julia Lewis talked to first year teachers about the difference mentoring has made.   |            |        |
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| <b>Meredith move-in</b>   |            |        |
| Meredith College welcomed its biggest freshman class ever this weekend. The large class is also the college's most diverse in history. John Bachman met the new students today.   |            |        |
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| <b>health and science school</b>  |            |        |
| Three public schools in our area are trying a different approach to education this year. The specialized schools allow students to begin a focused study in a field of their choice. Renee Chou talked to some Raleigh high school students enrolling in a new health and science school in the triangle. |            |        |
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| <b>Tech Cp</b>  |            |        |
| Students in Durham are in the classroom early this year, but they're only learning science. A group of kids is taking part in a tech cp at Duke University. Valonda Calloway has more on the cp.  |            |        |
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| <b>School and gas prices</b>  |            |        |
| The price of gas is hard on any motorist but imagine putting hundreds of buses on the road two times each day. Wake County's transportation department is pinching pennies to afford the escalating price of gas.   |            |        |
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| <b>School fighting</b>  |            |        |
| Warren County school leaders are taking violence on campus very seriously this school year. Rather than a trip to the principal's office, bad behavior could lead you to the sheriff's office. Fred Taylor has the  |            |        |

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#### **Math class**

Students are going to have to pay to take a math class at one Raleigh magnet school this year. That's because they're going to have to take their calculus class at Wake Tech. Kelcey Carlson talked to students and parents who think the school system should pay.

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#### **Year Round Schools**

Parents are angry that their children may be forced into a year round schedule next year. It's all an effort to ease overcrowding. Kelcey Carlson talked to people on both sides of the issue.

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#### **Nash uniforms**

Last year, Nash Rocky Mount middle schools implemented a uniform policy. Now, one year later, Mike Charbonneau asks students, parents, and teachers if it made a difference.

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#### **Wake Gang Training**

Schools are battling gang activity. With more gang members than ever in Wake County, school leaders are educating themselves on how to spot gang activity in the classroom. Kelcey Carlson attended the training.

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#### **Durham School board**

The goal is unity. It's not only a goal for the board members, but also a goal for members of the community. Paul Lagrone attended tonight's meeting.

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#### **Wake Schools investigation**

Carol Finch is at the center of the Wake County School Transportation fraud investigation. Today Kelcey Carlson traveled to Washington NC to see the items she turned over to the state. They were auctioned off today.

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#### **Back to school**

Crime has plagued this Durham apartment complex, but today it was the scene of a back to school party. The community is trying to push education and put a stop to crime. Mike Charbonneau has the story.

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#### **Costly Classrooms**

Parents and students spend a lot of their own money to get their classrooms ready for students. Valonda Calloway has the story.

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#### **Dreams dashed**

Big dreams are dashed for some local college football players when the coach that recruited them is fired. Gloria Lopez has the story.

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#### **Teen suicide**

Two teenagers committed suicide in rural Person County last year. With only one high school in the

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county, everyone knows everyone else, and the news of teens' lives cut short has affected both parents and students. Now the school system is stepping in to help. Julia Lewis has the story.

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#### **Dubois Center open house**

One of three modular schools opening this fall, the Dubois Center is creating quite a lot of attention. Today was the temporary school's open house. Kelcey Carlson was there for the tour.

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#### **Truck hits schools**

It wasn't the open house most teachers and students expected. Rather than students storming the door of Broughton High School, a truck slammed into the new gym.

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#### **Wake schools audit**

After an embarrassing fraud scheme put a black mark on the Wake County school system. And next year, the system will be audited. Kelcey Carlson has the story.

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#### **Child vaccines**

As school starts, having up-to-date vaccinations is a must. Dr. Allen Mask has tips for parents and kids ready to begin kindergarten.

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#### **Wake County hurricane**

Dewayne's home and garden had no idea its biggest customer was really the Wake County School system. Kelcey Carlson talked to the owner.

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#### **Out of state teachers**

One of several bills that passed the legislature will make it easier for teachers to move to NC for jobs.

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#### **back to school**

114,375 students showed up in Wake County today. That's six thousand more than last year. Kelcey Carlson wraps up the first day of school in Wake County.

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#### **Legislative wrap**

The proposed state lottery and a sales tax are the two measures in this year's budget designed to pay for new schools in NC. Fred Taylor has a legislative wrap up.

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#### **Zero Tolerance**

Wake County has zero tolerance for bad behavior at school. On the second day of school in Wake County, three Broughton High School students were arrested. Paul Lagrone has the story.

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#### **School fuel**

Gas prices might translate into drastic measures by local systems. For Cumberland County leaders, the high price of gas may force school to be cancelled. Jason Stoojenke is live with more.

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#### **In need of a school**

Katrina displaced college students from more than 3 dozen gulf coast universities. Now, those students are looking for temporary campuses.

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#### **Shelter kids**

Students staying at the Wake County evacuation shelter are looking to enroll in Wake County schools, but that may not be so easy. Kelcey Carlson has the story.

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#### **Halifax Community College**

The state auditor is investigating wrong-doing by the administration at Halifax Community College. Fred Taylor has the details.

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#### **Limited space**

Even before Hurricane Katrina, space in Wake County schools was limited, but they'll still find a way to welcome the evacuees. Kelcey Carlson talked to school leaders about their plans for making space.

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#### **Freshman 15**

The Freshman 15 is a dreaded term. And for students just starting their college career, it's time to decide what food choices will help maintain a healthy lifestyle. Valonda Calloway has the story.

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#### **Indictments**

The indictments are finally in for five people accused of scamming the Wake County school system out of millions of dollars. Kelcey Carlson is live with more.

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#### **Fayetteville Shelters**

Schools in Cumberland County are closed tomorrow in preparation for Hurricane Ophelia. Shelters are set up in several schools. Paul Lagrone is live with more.

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#### **Durham School board**

Speaking out is a hot topic in Durham. Today the debate went from the boardroom to the courtroom. Julia Lewis has the story.

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#### **Wake County Schools Enrollment**

Kelcey Carlson reported the WCPSS 20 day numbers which will affect future funding. The growth was much more than expected which is leaving local and state officials wondering how the system will handle such growth.

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#### **Spanish Classes**

Michael Charbonneau reported on the increasing popularity of Spanish classes in Wilson County Schools.

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#### **Durham School Board Meeting**

Ken Smith looked at the ongoing feud between the school board and citizens who do not comply with the new public comment procedure.

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#### **HEALTH**

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<b>Robot Assistant</b>		
Robot helps doctors in surgery.		
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<b>Vitamin E</b>		
Vitamin E may not provide all the protection you think. Learn more in this report.		
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<b>Tick Bite</b>		
Woman who battled Lyme disease and how you can recognize the symptoms.		
2:00:00	07/08/2005	5PM
<b>Vandross Stroke</b>		
Vandross' legacy may be that people will learn from his illnesses and help prevent strokes.		
2:00:00	07/08/2005	6PM
<b>Tick bites</b>		
Ticks are looking for blood meals, but most don't transmit disease. Dr. Mask explains what to look for.		
2:00:00	07/11/2005	5PM
<b>Liver Injury</b>		
Common antibiotic can cause liver problems in some people.		
2:00:00	07/12/2005	5PM
<b>Quitting HRT</b>		
The ups and downs of quitting hormone replacement therapy and some other ways to handle the symptoms.		
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<b>Da Vinci GYN</b>		
Robots help doctors perform surgery on women's reproductive organs.		
2:00:00	07/14/2005	5PM
<b>SMA folo</b>		
Follow-up on a young boy with rare spinal disease being treated in the Triangle.		
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<b>Sinus Surgery</b>		
Surgery to alleviate sinus\breathing problems.		
2:00:00	07/18/2005	5PM
<b>Asthma tonsils</b>		
Removing tonsils often alleviates asthma problems.		
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<b>Birth weight</b>		
A look at some of the health concerns parents of premature babies face.		
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#### **Baby sitter cp**

CP for teens who are learning to be babysitters!

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New brain surgery that does not require a knife or incision.

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#### **Velocity Folo**

Follow-up on a family making progress on a new year's resolution to lose weight.

2:00:00                      07/26/2005                      5PM

#### **JA Hypertension**

Not enough people are being prescribed medicine for high blood pressure.

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#### **Skin Cancer**

A look at steps people need to take to prevent skin cancer (it's more than just sun block).

2:00:00                      07/28/2005                      5PM

#### **Sun block**

Need for sun block when you're outside is not just for the beach or pool.

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#### **Sunglasses**

Sunglasses can protect your eyes from sun damage if you get the right pair.

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#### **PMS Diet**

How a healthy diet can help women battle symptoms of PMS.

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#### **PMS Diet**

A healthy diet can help women battle symptoms of PMS.

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#### **JA Suicide**

New study on suicide and how to reduce the risk of people taking their own lives.

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#### **Breast Feeding**

Study on the pros and cons of breast feeding.

2:00:00                      08/04/2005                      5PM

#### **Fungal Nail**

Treatment for embarrassing nail fungus.

2:00:00                      08/05/2005                      5PM

#### **Alcoholism**

Tracing the genetic links to alcoholism.

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#### **Breast Cancer**

Just because women get benign test results, doesn't mean they're out of the woods! Those tests could

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point to cancer developing in the future.

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#### **JA Skin Cancer**

Skin cancer is a concern, even when summer is almost over, especially for women.

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#### **Barrett's Esophagus**

Treatment for severe cases of GERD or acid reflux.

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#### **PPH Hemorrhoids**

Treatment of women who suffer hemorrhoids due to pregnancy.

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#### **WakeMed ED**

Tour of WakeMed's new free standing emergency department, the first in the state.

2:00:00                      08/15/2005                      5PM

#### **Alzheimer's Test**

New test that detects the disease in its early stages.

2:00:00                      08/16/2005                      5PM

#### **Chicken Pox Vaccine**

New study on benefits of chicken pox vaccine, especially in children.

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#### **Heart Device**

New device for heart patients that gives them back their freedom of mobility.

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#### **Juvenile Arthritis**

Symptoms and treatment for children with arthritis.

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#### **Insect Bites**

Take the sting out of summer bug bites.

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#### **Wrist Angioplasty**

New, safer way to perform heart angioplasty.

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#### **Colon Cancer**

Over-the-counter medicine can help cut the risk of colon cancer, but there are drawbacks.

2:00:00                      08/24/2005                      5PM

#### **Child Vaccines**

New technology to help keep track of children's immunizations.

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#### **Exercise Capacity**

How much people exercise really does factor into how healthy they are.



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<b>Adult Vaccines</b>		
Adults need to get their shots too! And we're not just talking about flu vaccines!		
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<b>Leeches &amp; Maggots</b>		
Doctors encourage leeches and maggots in surgery. The critters can make the recovery process go faster!		
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<b>Pediatric Asthma</b>		
Hot summer days and high ozone levels can put children at greater risk for asthma.		
3:00:00	08/31/2005	6PM
<b>Easley on the Lottery</b>		
Now that the governor has won his prize, how can he be sure any lottery profits WILL be spent on new education priorities? Also will it be difficult working with this contentious legislature on other major issues. David Crabtree talked about this and more in his office earlier today.		
2:00:00	08/31/2005	5PM
<b>Katrina Nurses</b>		
Doctors and nurses from the Triangle are among those headed to the Gulf Coast to help with disaster relief.		
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<b>Hospital Risks</b>		
Risk to local hospitals accepting storm victims from the Gulf Coast.		
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<b>Pre-Diabetes</b>		
New local program that helps prevent children from developing diabetes.		
2:00:00	09/06/2005	5PM
<b>Contamination Risks</b>		
Katrina victims who have come to North Carolina may be contaminated with illness from dirty water and unhealthy buildings.		
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<b>Low carb craze</b>		
Low carb craze is fizzling, being replaced by some hot new diet trends.		
2:00:00	09/08/2005	5PM
<b>Katrina Baby Shower</b>		
Woman who lost everything in Katrina gets baby shower after she gave birth in Raleigh.		
2:00:00	09/12/2005	5PM
<b>PC Angels</b>		
Women travel around educating men about prostate cancer.		
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<b>JA Stents</b>		
New stents that help clear heart arteries.		

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<b>Prostate Risk</b>		
Raising awareness and saving lives when it comes to prostate cancer.		
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<b>Prostate Procedure</b>		
New procedure to reduce symptoms (inability to urinate) of an enlarged prostate.		
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<b>IV Stick</b>		
New device that helps nurses see veins- eliminates the need for multiple pin pricks.		
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<b>Intralase</b>		
New lasik procedure that doesn't use a blade to cut the eye.		
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<b>Cheney Surgery</b>		
Explanation of the procedure to repair aneurysms behind the Vice-president's knees.		
2:00:00	09/23/2005	5PM
<b>PKD</b>		
Raising awareness of PKD or Polycystic Kidney Disease, a potentially deadly disease some don't know about.		
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<b>Renal Doppler</b>		
Technology used in forecasting weather can also help doctors diagnose some health problems liked blocked vessels that cause hypertension.		
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<b>JA Smoking Reduction</b>		
Does cutting back on smoking help lower health risk? We learn in this report that it helps some, but not much.		
2:00:00	09/27/2005	5PM
<b>Pancreas MRI</b>		
New test that can diagnose pancreatic cancer- which has one of the worst survival rates!		
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<b>SAS Health</b>		
SAS is making it easier for busy employees to stay healthy with on site doctors office.		
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<b>Placebo Effect</b>		
Examination of mind over matter and why some people got better after taking a placebo!		

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#### **Raleigh Mayor Race**

In some big cities mayors are full-time. Here in Raleigh, the mayor often works the hours of a full time leader, but the position is considered part-time. On the first day to file for city races, some ask if it should stay that way in a growing capital city. Melissa Buscher explains.

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#### **60 MINUTES-Sunday Edition**

**"Child Prodigies"** - a report on child prodigies and people with special abilities who have been interviewed on 60 MINUTES: Michelle Wie, the 14-year-old golfer who aspires to compete with men on the PGA tour; Anna Kournikova, then considered a potential tennis champion, who now makes her career in modeling; Sho Yano, who graduated from Loyola University at 12 and now, at 14, is in his second year of medical school at the University of Chicago; Greg Smith, a child prodigy who wants to go into medicine and politics and outer space; Rex Clack, a mentally disabled musical prodigy; a group of talented young musicians who are suffering from Williams syndrome, a rare birth defect; Freddy Adu, a professional soccer player at 14; Jay Greenberg, a musical prodigy who has written five symphonies at age 13; the Browns, an Alpine, Utah family whose five children are all gifted musicians.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

**"Chamber Of Secrets"** - in her divorce case, Frieda Hanimov feared that she would lose custody of her children because she suspected that the judge ruling on her case was corrupt. Having gone to authorities with her suspicions, Hanimov agreed to go undercover and, wearing a wire, she went alone into a warehouse to try to prove that New York State Supreme Court Judge Gerald Garson was corrupt. A taped conversation with Nissim Elmann, the judge's confederate, was enough evidence to have the Brooklyn District Attorney grant permission to place a hidden camera in Judge Garson's chambers. Prosecutors caught Judge Garson on videotape taking a gift for legal advice, giving a lawyer advice on how to write a legal memo on a case before him, and accepting a \$1,000 referral fee. Judge Garson will go on trial next fall; Nissim Elmann will be tried next week. Hanimov's case has led to the creation of a new commission to reform divorce court. Includes footage of Judge Judy Sheindlin addressing the commission.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

**"Why Did Eric Kill?"** - a follow-up to "Why Did Eric Kill?", a report on Eric Smith who in August 1993, at age 13, was convicted of murdering four-year-old Derrick Robie. The child's body was found strangled and battered with rocks near his home in Savona, N.Y. Now, after a decade in prison and years of intense therapy, Smith came up for parole and tried unsuccessfully to convince the parole board that he no longer poses a threat to society. Includes statements made by Eric Smith in an effort to explain why he committed the crime; and interviews with: John Tunney, prosecutor in the case; defense attorney Kevin Bradley; Dalton and Doreen Robie, Derrick's parents; Red Wilson, Eric Smith's grandfather; Tammy and Ted Smith, Eric Smith's parents; and Susan Betzjtomir, Smith's new attorney. Eric Smith will be up for parole in 18 months. His case will be reviewed every two years.

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#### **Face the Nation**

Interviews with Senators Orrin Hatch and Joseph Biden about: the retirement of U.S. Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor/filling the vacancy/Attorney General Alberto Gonzales as a candidate/possible ban against a Senate filibuster.

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**"Old Soldiers"** - in an effort to boost the levels of U.S. troops in Iraq, the Department of Defense has started drawing from a pool of semi-retired soldiers called the Individual Ready Reserve. Includes interviews with some of these men and women who thought they had fulfilled their military obligations and with Mark Wapel, a lawyer who specializes in defending soldiers.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

**"The Ghosts Of El Segundo"** - in July 1957 Richard Phillips and Milton Curtis, two young police officers on a routine stop in the Los Angeles, CA suburb of El Segundo, were gunned down by a man who, unknown to the police, had just committed robbery and rape at a nearby lover's lane. With only a fingerprint and the belief that one of the officer's bullets hit the killer, investigators searched for more than 45 years for the man who murdered two of their own. Important clues, including the gun used in the murders, were uncovered but almost 3,000 suspects were checked, all leading to dead ends. Two things helped police to crack the case: a call in 2002 from a woman who identified her uncle as the murderer and the use of forensic technology unavailable at the time of the crimes. Finally, investigators were able to track down the killer -- Gerald Mason -- an unsuspecting 69-year-old family man living in Columbia, S.C. Having pled guilty to murder, Mason was sentenced to prison and will be eligible for parole in 2017. Includes an interview with Darren R. Levine, Deputy District Attorney of Los Angeles County as well as other officers who were involved in the case.

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#### **Legislature Budget**

The give and take continues for state budget negotiators. Lawmakers hope to hammer out a spending plan this month. Cullen Browder tells us, sorting out taxes is the latest battle.

#### **60 MINUTES II**

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**"Ken Lay"** - the former chairman of Enron, talks about his role in the debacle which sent the energy giant into bankruptcy, leaving 4,000 people without jobs, and wiping out savings and pensions. Includes interviews with: Bill Lerach, a lawyer now leading an investor lawsuit against the company; and Kurt Eichenwald, a business correspondent for The New York Times and author of "Conspiracy of Fools," a book about Enron's rise and fall.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

**"Vanished"** - Maria Cruz, a 35-year-old New York City financial analyst, disappeared on the afternoon of April 13, 2003. Police searched for Cruz for ten months until evidence finally pointed to Dean Faiello, a childhood friend of the missing woman. Faiello, an openly gay college drop-out who posed as a doctor, is thought to have treated Cruz for a mouth infection the day she vanished. In February 2004, acting on a tip from Faiello's former lover, Greg Bach, authorities found Cruz's body stuffed in a suitcase and buried in the cement in the garage of Faiello's former home in Newark, N.J. Eleven months after Maria Cruz was reported missing, Faiello, already facing charges for practicing medicine without a license, was apprehended in Costa Rica and arrested for murder. Includes an interview with Faiello who was diagnosed as HIV-positive and who remains, without any medical treatment, in a Costa Rican prison awaiting extradition proceedings.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

**"Who Murdered The Rock Star?"** - On the morning of July 6, 1993, Mia Zapata's body was found raped and strangled to death on a deserted Seattle street. A lead singer in a popular local band called "The Gits," Zapata was about to start a national tour and was on the verge of signing a record contract. Police conducted an exhaustive investigation, but ultimately came up with few leads and little evidence. A decade later, Seattle's cold case squad, made up of detectives Richard Gagnon and Greg Mixsell,

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reopened the Zapata murder investigation and with new forensic technology were able to pinpoint the murderer, Jesus Mezquia, through DNA evidence found on Zapata's body. A jury convicted Mezquia of first-degree murder and he was sentenced to 37 years in prison.

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#### **Face the Nation**

Interview with Michael Chertoff about the bombings in London: the possible role of al-Qaida/the question of whether the people involved were indigenous to Great Britain or came from elsewhere/efforts to increase security for the U.S. transportation system/the presence of al-Qaida sleeper cells in the U.S./the possibility of an attack in the U.S./assessing the strength of al-Qaida.

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#### **60 MINUTES-Sunday Edition**

**"Handouts For The Homeland"**- congressional critics, armed with independent studies, contend that too much of the \$10 billion allocated for homeland security is being spent to restock police and fire departments instead of being put directly toward defense against terrorists. Includes interviews with Mayor Macie Roberson of Tiptonville, TN; Rep. Chris Cox (R-CA), Chairman of the House Homeland Security Committee; Tom Schatz, who runs Citizens Against Government Waste; Sen. Ted Stevens (R-Alaska); and Washington, DC Mayor Anthony Williams.

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#### **Tobacco Tax**

With the clock ticking on a new state budget...debate is heating up over hiking the cigarette tax. For months, grassroots groups faced off with big tobacco. As Laurie Clowers reports neither side appears willing to back down now.

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#### **Death Penalty**

Some decisions just can't be changed.. That's why the state is taking a closer look at the death penalty. Lawmakers want to make sure NO more mistakes are made.. and innocent people aren't put on death row. But a compromise agreed on today is getting a cool reception. Cullen Browder has more.

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#### **Legislature Budget**

It appears Lawmakers have settled in for the long haul. Budget Negotiators from the House and Senate have been meeting here all day long. They're haggling over money and taxes And it doesn't appear the debate will end by next Wednesday.

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#### **State Board of Elections**

Questions tonight about the delay of some key government appointments. The terms of members of the State Board of Elections expired more than two months ago. As Laurie Clowers reports some observers say Governor Easley is running out of time.

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#### **Move Over Law**

The next time you see an accident or someone pulled over... you'd better "Move Over" or be prepared to "Pay up!" It's a serious message lawmakers are trying to drive home! Today, Governor Easley signed a law with stiffer penalties for drivers who do NOT move when they see emergency vehicles on the side of the road. Megan Hughes has the story.

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#### **President's Visit**

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President Bush was back in the Tarheel State today. He visited a Piedmont textile mill as part of his push for CAFTA. North Carolina has become a frequent stop for the President over the past year. WRAL's Cullen Browder was with President Bush today and has details.

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**"Marla"** - a report on four-year-old Marla Olmstead, a Binghamton, N.Y. girl whose abstract paintings have garnered international attention and sell for as much as \$24,000. There is some doubt as to whether so young a child can create works of such complexity. Includes interviews with: Marla's parents Mark and Laura; Anthony Brunelli, a gallery owner; and Ellen Winner, a psychologist who has studied gifted children.

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#### Face the Nation

Interviews with former Ambassador Joseph Wilson and Rep. Roy Blount about the ongoing controversy over who revealed the identity of CIA secret agent Valerie Plame, Wilson's wife: allegations that presidential adviser Karl Rove disclosed the identity of the agent to reporters/relevancy of a law which covers and protects covert agents serving abroad within last five years/Karl Rove's motives in talking to reporters/impact on President Bush's credibility

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#### 60 MINUTES-Sunday Edition

**"In Harm's Way"** - despite a \$400 billion defense budget, U.S. troops in Iraq -- especially those in the National Guard and Reserve units -- are in danger because of the lack of armored vehicles, field radios, night vision goggles and even ammunition. Includes interviews with: Gen. Ray Byrne, Commander of the Oregon National Guard; Rep. Darlene Hooley (D-OR); Winslow Wheeler, author of "The Waste Rules Of Defense"; and Sen. John McCain (R-AZ), member of the Armed Services Committee.

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**"The Boys Next Door"** - interviews with Jake Eakin and Evan Savoie, two 13-year-old Ephrata, Washington boys, who are scheduled to be tried as adults for the murder, on February 15th, 2003, of Craig Sorger, a 13-year-old playmate. Eakin and Savoie insist they are innocent. Includes interviews with: Lisa Sorger, the victim's mother; Holly and Andy Parent, Evan's mother and stepfather; Tammy Vickery, Jake's mother; Eric Johnson, a forensic psychologist; and prosecutor Ed Owens.

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#### 48 Hours Mystery

**"Rescued From The Shadows"** - 48 HOURS infiltrated the billion dollar business of trafficking in human sex slaves to reveal how easy it is in the 21st Century to purchase a woman and bring her to the United States. Correspondent Peter Van Sant's investigation includes a report on Bucharest, Romania, one of several former Soviet bloc nations that have become hotspots for modern-day slave traders. Many of the girls are lured overseas with the promise of a good job, others are simply abducted. Working with Iana Matei, the director of Reaching Out Romania, Van Sant rescued "Nicoleta," a 17-year-old girl. Also explored are the cases of "Olga," a young woman trapped in a sex slave trafficking ring run by a Russian named Alexander Rashovsky; and a young girl kidnapped by members of the Carreto family of Tlaxcala, Mexico.

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#### 48 Hours Mystery

**"Right Or Wrong"** - Susan Wright, a 27-year-old stay-at-home mother from Houston, Texas stabbed her husband, Jeff, 193 times. She claims she was a victim of domestic abuse and that on Jan. 13, 2003, her husband attacked her with a knife and she fought back in self-defense. Prosecutors charged that she

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was a cold blooded killer who lured her husband to bed with the promise of sex, tied him up and then brutally murdered him. They questioned why it took Susan five days to report the crime; why she buried Jeff's body in the backyard; and why she tried to clean up evidence of the death. A jury found Susan Wright guilty of murder and sentenced her to 25 years in prison. Includes interviews with: Susan's sister, Cindy Stewart; the victim's father, Ron Wright and his brother, Ron Wright Jr.; prosecutor Kelly Seigler; and attorneys for the defense Neal Davis and Richard "Racehorse" Haynes.

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#### **Face the Nation**

Interview with U.S. Attorney General Alberto Gonzales about: report that the back-to-back attacks in Cairo and London are connected/the suggestion that Osama bin Laden is stronger than ever; the nomination of John Roberts to the Supreme Court/Senate Democrats request for memos Roberts wrote while in the Justice Department/Roberts' stance on the issue of abortion; the Karl Rove controversy/his delay in launching a formal investigation

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#### **60 MINUTES-Sunday Edition**

**"Rendition"**- 60 MINUTES investigates 'rendition', the alleged CIA practice of abducting terror suspects to countries whose interrogators are known to torture. Includes interviews with: Thomas Hammarberg, former Swedish diplomat; Michael Scheuer, former senior CIA official; Khaled el-Masri, a Kuwaiti living in Germany who was held in an Afghan prison; and Craig Murray, former British ambassador to Tashkent.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

**"Secrets Of The Well"**- reports on two separate unsolved murders with strange similarities, both solved by Georgia criminal investigator Clay Bryant:

1) a report on the murder case of Gwendolyn Moore, a 30-year-old mother whose body was pulled from a well in August 1970. Gwendolyn's husband, Marshall, immediately came under suspicion. Moore, who passed a lie detector test, was not thoroughly investigated at the time because of connections to the local police department. After 30 years Bryant found enough evidence to charge Marshall Moore with the murder of his wife. He will go on trial on March 28, 2005.

2) In 1987, Fred Wilkerson, a small town fire chief and 49-year-old father, seemingly vanished. Bryant determined that the prime suspect was Wilkerson's ex-lover, Connie Quedans. At the time of the disappearance the estranged couple was involved in a property dispute. Bryant unearthed evidence and Wilkerson's body was found in Quedan's well. Connie Quedans was found guilty of murder and sentenced to life in prison.

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#### **Face the Nation**

Interviews with Senators Arlen Specter and Sam Brownback about: the pros and cons of stem cell research/the possibility of overcoming a presidential veto/the impact of Sen. William Frist's pro-stem cell research statement/concern that the Republican Party could be seen as anti-science; the nomination of John Roberts to the U.S. Supreme Court

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**60 MINUTES-Sunday Edition**  
**"President Putin"** - Russian President Valdimir Putin talks about his early life; his relationship with U.S. President George W. Bush; his opinions that: the war against Iraq was a blunder; democracy cannot be exported to other countries; and that the U.S. cannot abandon Iraq before the establishment of a united country; his legacy from former Russian President Boris Yeltsin; and his denial that he has centralized more power in the Kremlin.

  

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**Legislature Budget**  
 Lawmakers are trying to decide how to carve up 17 BILLION\_DOLLARS....just try to wrap your head around that...now try to understand how that much money could be held up by a dime...among other things. Paul LaGrone explains.

  

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**State Budget**  
 Today could be the day lawmakers reach a final compromise on a state budget. House and Senate negotiators are back behind closed doors. Laurie Clowers is tracking the story live at the Legislative Building.

  

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**State Budget**  
 It's an issue that has been brewing all summer long. When the UNC Board of Governors froze in-state tuition earlier this year.. UNC Chapel Hill and NC State appealed to the legislature. Now the issue is freezing the budget. Laurie Clowers explains.

  

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**Durham Mayor's Race**  
 A vocal and often controversial school board member wants a BIGGER role in Bull City politics. Jackie Wagstaff joined the race for Durham mayor today. WRAL's Julia Lewis shows us, her announcement sparked congratulations and concern.

  

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**Legislature on Smoking**  
 Central Prison is one of the prisons that still allows smoking inside so a ban would have an affect here. The General Assembly is one place where smoking inside is welcome. Until two years ago, it was allowed on the House and Senate floor during session. Some lawmakers told Kelcey Carlson that it may sound hypocritical, but old habits and history are hard to break.

  

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**State Budget**  
 Everyone is eager to get this thing done! The budget been delayed three times with three big sticking points... how much to raise the cigarette tax... how much to increase state workers' salaries...and of course the lottery debate. Tonight, we're learning there's a compromise on all three. John Bachman explains.

  

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**48 Hours Mystery**  
 "Written In Blood" - an expanded version of "Written In Blood" (OAD: 09/25/04), a report on the brutal 1994 murders of the Rafay family -- Sultana Rafay, her husband Tariq and their autistic daughter, Basma -- in Bellevue, Washington, focusing on the pursuit and arrest of the two primary suspects: Atif Rafay, the only surviving family member, and his friend Sebastian



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#### **Face the Nation**

The status of the war in Iraq: reports of a possible U.S. troop reduction/recent heavy casualties among U.S. forces/claim that there is a growing strong core of strength in the Iraqi military/the impact of political pressures in the U.S. and public apprehension.

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#### **60 MINUTES**

"Juiced" - follow-up to "Juiced" (OAD: 02/13/05), an interview with former baseball player Jose Canseco about his controversial book, "Juiced", that purports to tell the truth about his own use of anabolic steroids and human growth hormone, and the same about other top players in the major leagues. Includes updated information about Baltimore Orioles' star Rafael Palmeiro who denied using steroids before a congressional committee but recently tested positive for the banned substance.

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#### **State Budget**

The battle line is drawn! Some lawmakers say they WON'T pass the state budget as is. They're demanding change! The issue: state employee pay raises -- what's fair and what's not? Laurie Clowers has more on the budget standoff..

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#### **The Legislature and the Lottery**

Lawmakers say the new budget does not count on a lottery. \_But, it directs dedicated money for school construction and scholarships...IF a lottery is approved separately. The house narrowly passed a lottery bill months ago. Now, it's in trouble in the senate. Cullen Browder has the story.

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#### **State Budget**

The new state budget is out, and lawmakers are pouring over the document right now. The 360-page spending plan will be voted on in the days ahead. WRAL's Paul LaGrone joins us live for a first look at the winners and losers.

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#### **Legislature Budget**

The ball is in the Senate's court... the House will also have to vote on this budget again, we're told sometime after midnight tonight...the big news is as it stands now with what the House just voted on state employees will get 2 percent raise OR 1,000 dollars whichever is greater... who are fighting for higher raises and are willing to block the budget.

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#### **State Budget**

House lawmakers JUST PASSED the new 17 BILLION dollar budget! It still needs to clear the Senate and they're expected to debate it any minute now. Not everyone's happy with the spending plan! State employees are disappointed with what's left out. Laurie Clowers has more on what they plan to do next.

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#### **What's Left for the Legislature?**

The Budget Battle is over but lawmakers still have plenty of work to do, most notably on the Lottery bill. The word is, the votes aren't there to pass it. The Senate leadership believes its two or three votes short. The Senate may not even take up the measure without enough support. Some lawmakers though aren't ready to write off the lottery bill just yet. Ken Smith explains.

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#### **Lottery Latest**

Time is running out and some lawmakers are feeling the pressure. The lottery, one of the biggest issues in our state, could be in jeopardy. It passed the house now it's up to the Senate. And leaders may have something up their sleeves to make it happen. Laurie Clowers has the details.

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#### **Lottery**

Debate's still going tonight! Will North Carolina get in the game? State senators are discussing the lottery and working the room! The concern: do they have the votes needed to pass it? Cullen Browder has more.

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#### **Senate Saturday**

After a marathon session on Friday, Senators were back in their seats this Saturday morning. The House passed a lottery bill in April, now it's in the Senate's hands. So the big question was would they vote on that bill today? Mike Charbonneau explains.

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#### **Senate Saturday**

The new budget sets out how lottery money should be distributed. Of course our state does not have a lottery. \_That was just some of the unfinished business that brought Senators in for a Saturday session. Right now 24 Democrats say they'll vote for a lottery. Five Democrats and all 21 Republicans say they'll vote no. That's not enough for it to pass, so Senate leader Marc Basnight decided not to call for a vote. The lottery bill could still come up for a vote in this session or in the short session next year.// Mike Charbonneau reports.

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#### **Face the Nation**

Interview with Dr. Howard Dean about: the war in Iraq/the need for a plan for the withdrawal of U.S. forces/the war as a political issue; the nomination of John Roberts for the Supreme Court; the issue of the Senate filibuster; U.S. foreign policy regarding Iran; defining the message of the Democratic Party; President Bush's endorsement that intelligent design should be taught along with evolution to schoolchildren; looking forward to the 2008 presidential election.

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#### **60 MINUTES**

"The Governor" - California Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger talks about his career as an actor, his entry into politics, his first year in office, and his belief that foreign-born citizens like himself should be eligible to run for president.

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#### **Toll Roads in NC**

As if gas prices aren't enough.. Some drivers may soon feel SOMETHING ELSE tugging at their wallet -- TOLL ROADS! \_The new budget gives the Turnpike Authority power to ADD to the planned number of toll roads. Paul LaGrone has more.

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#### **Tolls on I-95**

Gas prices are soaring. So if toll roads sound like a bad idea right now, transportation officials say wait a second... paying more to get where you're going quicker could save you time and gas money. Paul LaGrone is along I-95 with the story.

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#### **Toll Roads**

New legislation opens the door for up to 9 toll roads across North Carolina. Getting specifics on when they might be built or how much the tolls may cost is tough right now. The Turnpike Authority is cautiously feeling it's way. Today, they took another step. Cullen Browder tells us they approved 3 and a half million dollars in funding to conduct environmental studies for the Triangle project and others across the state.

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#### **Face the Nation**

Interviews with Glenn Hubbard and Robert Reich about: rising fuel prices/impact on the economy/finding a way to mitigate increasing energy costs/substituting other energy sources and ensuring that energy and refining markets in the U.S. work efficiently/the possibility of cutting the federal tax on gas/the threat of inflation/the possibility that housing prices will fall.

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#### **60 MINUTES**

"Anonymous Revealed" - an interview with Michael Scheuer, the senior CIA analyst who created and then advised a secret unit that has been involved in tracking and eliminating Osama bin Laden since 1996. This summer, under the name "Anonymous," Scheuer authored "Imperial Hubris: Why The West Is Losing The War on Terror," a book highly critical of the Bush administration's counter-terrorism policy, focusing on the government's failure to act on what he says were opportunities to catch the most-wanted terrorist.

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#### **Lottery Battle**

After a week hiatus, lawmakers are back on the job tonight and the lottery lobby is heating up. Especially on five democratic senators who won't vote for a lottery bill... Ellie Kinnaird, Charlie Albertson, Janet Cowell, Dan Clodfelter and Martin Nesbitt. But Democrats aren't the only ones feeling the heat! So are three Republicans and there's a good chance you've heard the sales pitch being made to them. Laurie Clowers has the story.

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#### **Legislature Update**

It's a major change that could effect when your child goes to school. Tonight state lawmakers decided to allow school districts to have more flexibility on when school starts and when it ends. WRAL's Paul LaGrone explains.

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#### **State Lottery**

It's coming down to the final hours.. and for a lottery, it doesn't look good. There was more hope earlier today after a Senate committee cleared the way for a vote on the Senate floor. But it appears the lottery is still one vote short. Laurie Clowers has more.

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#### **XGR Lottery**

The odds FOR a state lottery are looking bleak. Lawmakers are entering the final hours of this year's session... and there's still wheeling and dealing to be done! Gloria Lopez has more.

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#### **Atkinson and Fletcher**

The nation's ONLY undecided statewide race from the November election is FINALLY OVER! The General

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Assembly chose Democrat June Atkinson over Republican Bill Fletcher to run the state's school system. This is the first time since 18-35 North Carolina lawmakers had to determine the winner of a statewide office. WRAL's Laurie Clowers joins us from the Legislative Building with more on the historic vote!

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#### **Legislature Highlights**

The Senate voted to adjourn in the wee hours of the morning, but now House speaker Jim Black says he doesn't want to rush things. When it comes to the lottery -- he says it's not over.. till it's over. Laurie Clowers explains.

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#### **Legislature Exhaustion**

This is not the kind of story lawmakers go on record about but sources tell us some lawmakers get so tired of the arm twisting that goes on in the final days of the legislative session that they end up changing their votes. So as the session winds down the political stakes go up. Paul LaGrone has the story.

3:00:00                      08/25/2005                      5:30PM

#### **Legislature Wrap**

As thousands of students returned to class today, state lawmakers worked on two measures to PAY for new schools. \_One... a state lottery... the other a sales tax. As Fred Taylor reports, the Speaker of the House wants the public to help get the lottery approved THIS year.

#### **60 MINUTES II**

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"Stressed Cells" - a report on the impact of stress on our DNA, and how it appears to hasten the aging process in many people. Includes interviews with: Eileen Attridge, who as the mother of an autistic child experiences a great deal of stress; Dr. Elissa Epel, at the University of California, San Francisco, who designed a study to find out how our minds can change our bodies; and Dr. Elizabeth Blackburn, a cellular biologist, who worked with Dr. Epel.

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#### **Face the Nation**

Hurricane Katrina: an interview with Dr. Ed Rappaport, Deputy Director, National Hurricane Center, about the potentially catastrophic effects of Katrina, now a Category 5 hurricane.

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#### **60 MINUTES**

"Prescription For Trouble" - update of "Prescription For Trouble", just over a week after a jury in Texas found that Merck had concerns that Vioxx could cause cardiovascular problems long before it was pulled off the market. It held Merck liable for the death of a man who took Vioxx and awarded his family \$250 million in damages. Today Merck is facing thousands of lawsuits filed on behalf of patients alleging that Vioxx caused serious damage

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#### **Senate Lottery**

The passing of the lottery bill was made possible by the absence of two senators. Senator Garwood.. from Wilkes county was sick and Senator Brown from Onslow county was on his honeymoon... Both were targeted by radio ads and were seen as the only republicans who were possibly wavering on the issue.

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#### **Lottery Politics**

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According to senate leadership, Republican Senator Garwood had the opportunity to 'pair up' with a Democrat to offset his absence. We're told, he declined. He and plenty of other lawmakers were under pressure to push the lottery through. In the end, it was a controversial lesson in playing politics. Cullen Browder explains.

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#### **XGR Lottery**

The Governor will sign a lottery bill into law tomorrow! Just when the issue looked dead, the Senate turned to passing the bill with two key opponents missing. Paul LaGrone has more on how and why the lottery suddenly passed.

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#### **Lottery Logistics**

After years of debate, North Carolina now has a lottery. \_Governor Easley signed the lottery into law this morning. \_But it will be several months before you can test your luck. Laurie Clowers tells us how they'll make it happen.

3:00:00 09/19/2005 6PM

#### **Lottery Hoops**

Members of the state's new Lottery Commission are expected this week. But it could take longer to sign up retailers to sell lottery tickets. As Laurie Clowers reports they could run into red tape and so could lottery winners.

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#### **Nasty Election**

Small town politics are taking what one candidate calls an ugly turn. Even though municipal elections are 6 months away, there's more than mudslinging going on in Henderson. As Fred Taylor reports, one candidate says she's being targeted by rocks. Rocks have shattered Deryl Von Willis storefront window twice in the past three days. Von Willis is running as a write-in candidate in the Henderson City Council race. She says the rocks were thrown to intimidate her. Police are investigating, but so far they have no suspects.

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#### **Sanders Lottery**

He DIDN'T EVEN WANT a state lottery. Now, he's in charge of creating one in North Carolina! Charlie Sanders has a big job ahead of him...starting a lottery from scratch. Cullen Browder spoke with Sanders today and got some answers.

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#### **Durham Candidates**

Vincent Brown is on the ballot in Durham.. A city where ISSUES may take a back seat to candidates with criminal records! SEVERAL have them! But it may surprise you what they have to say about it. Kelcey Carlson has more on what Durham voters are faced with.

3:00:00 09/28/2005 5PM

#### **Governor Vetoes**

Veto is a relatively new tool for North Carolina's governor. \_In 1997, the legislature gave the Governor the power to veto. Governor Easley has done it only 5 times since he took office. Many are wondering if he'll do it again.

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#### **Legislature and Teachers**

The BIG STORY here is that now the General Assembly must reconvene in order to consider overriding

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the Governor's veto of the teacher standards bill. This is on a bill that had almost unanimous support from both houses. \_As you can imagine it's not welcome news for lawmakers. and Lb Reports.

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#### **patriotism/4th of July**

half hour discussion of patriotism in light of 4th of July holiday and ongoing war in Iraq. Guests included Adjutant General of North Carolina National Guard and former special forces captain of US Army.

30:00 07/03/2005 6:30AM

#### **NC Spin**

Welcome to this red, white and blue edition of NC SPIN. This week's program is going to talk about the Dell lawsuit, a new poll showing people don't know those for whom they vote, and using the Koran in place of the Bible, but first let's catch up on the latest budget news.

30:00 07/08/2005 7:30PM

#### **Headline Saturday-TTA/rail for Triangle**

half hour discussion regarding rail service being added for the Triangle. Guests included two members of the state legislature... one who supports the idea... the other who is strongly opposed.

30:00 07/10/2005 6:30AM

#### **NC Spin**

This week our panel is going to talk about our system of taxation, which should pay the taxes and what taxes are most effective and what changes we need to make.

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#### **WRAL Listens to Edgecombe Co.**

Half-hour special hosted by Charlie Gaddy which included a panel of seven residents from Edgecombe County discussing the challenges and triumphs in their community.

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#### **Headline Saturday**

half hour discussion regarding lack of a state budget... long overdue. Guests included State Senator Janet Cowell and State representative Roger St.

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#### **NC Spin**

This week our panel will talk about a new proposal for the study on the death penalty, more road problems, and middle school academies. But first let's talk about the state budget expected to be passed next week.

30:00 07/22/2005 7:30PM

#### **Headline Saturday**

half hour discussion regarding judicial races in North Carolina. Is public financing working? Guests included former Chief Justice Burley Mitchell and former Associate Justice Bob Steele.

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#### **NC Spin**

This week our panel will talk about the Piedmont Natural Gas merger, new ways to certify lateral entry teachers, and repercussions of the court rulings on fines and forfeitures, but first let's talk about the lobby bill moving through the House.

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#### **Headline Saturday**

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Half hour discussion on upcoming school year and shortage of classroom space for Wake County students. Guests included parents and a member of the school board.

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#### **NC Spin**

This week we ask our panelists to give us their spin on a curfew imposed by the town of Knightdale, a state leader urging a reduction in the top state income tax rate, and a proposal for paper trails from voting machines, but first let's talk about the crackdown on dangerous driving

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#### **Headline Saturday**

Half hour discussion on new cigarette tax increase and potential impact on NC farmers. Guests included NC Agriculture Commissioner Steve Troxler, Representative Jennifer Weiss and farmer Jerome Vick.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

"Driven To Extremes" - On Aug. 7, 2000, Mary Hill was driving three neighborhood teenagers, including her daughter, Amy, home from school. Less than two miles from their home in an Orlando, Florida suburb, the car crashed into a tree, claiming the lives of Amy and her best friend, Carrie Brown. The third teen, Zak Rockwell, suffered brain injuries. Hill claims she lost control of her BMW because it sped up on its own, but investigators say that Hill was driving recklessly. After an eight-month investigation by the Florida Highway Patrol, Hill was charged with vehicular homicide and manslaughter. Three and a half years after the accident she was tried and found guilty of two counts of vehicular homicide and on May 10, 2004 she was sentenced to fifteen years in prison. In October 2004 two new witnesses came forward claiming that Mary Hill was not speeding just before the crash. Despite their testimony the judge denied Hill's request for a new trial. Her lawyers plan to continue to appeal her conviction.

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#### **NC Spin**

Six and one half months after the legislature convened and six weeks after the start of the fiscal year the top leaders of each house finally got together and agreed upon a new budget for this year. The \$17.2 billion budget is 8 percent more than was spent last year and contains about \$700 million in tax increases coupled with revenue growth estimates that pay for expansion spending. We want to talk about some of the highlights contained in this budget.

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#### **Headline Saturday-Poverty**

half hour discussion regarding new anti-poverty program begun by former US Senator John Edwards at the University of North Carolina School of Law. John Edwards was sole guest.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

"Prescription For Murder?" - in November 2001, in Chester, S.C., 12-year-old Chris Pittman fatally shot his grandparents as they slept, stole money, weapons and his grandfather's truck and set fire to the house before fleeing. Having confessed to the crime, Chris was tried, convicted of murder and sentenced to 30 years in prison. Lawyers for the defense claim that the anti-depressant Zoloft, a drug prescribed for the boy shortly before the murders, turned him from a loving grandson into a killer.

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#### **NC Spin**

This week our panel will give you their spin on a legislature that's suddenly ready to go home, on all the buzz about the UNC President search, about ways citizens can get elected officials to do what they

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should, and finally we'll talk about the Governor's proposal to send turnaround teams into underachieving schools. Let's start with the legislature.

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#### **NC Spin**

This week we will ask our panel to give you their spin on the good news and bad news on Medicaid, the judge who is saying "Show me the money," and the legislative adjournment.

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#### **48 Hours Mystery**

Katrina's Fury" (8:00-8:30p)- a report on the devastation left in the wake of Hurricane Katrina. Focuses on areas in Louisiana and Mississippi where the loss of life and the destruction of property is extensive. Includes a brief interview with Mayor A.J. Hollaway of Biloxi, MS and with some of the people who were left to cope with conditions following the disaster, including refugees, hospital workers and people from various emergency relief agencies.

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#### **Headline Saturday-Labor issues**

half hour program regarding unemployment in North Carolina. Built around the labor Day weekend guests included North Carolina Commissioner of Labor Cherrie Berry and Leticia Garcia, worker advocate.

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#### **NC Spin**

Welcome to our special Labor Day edition of NC SPIN. On this show we will recap the legislative session just adjourned, talk about the players and themes in this session, the legislation that passed as well as bills that didn't make it, and look ahead to what our legislators will face when they return on May 9<sup>th</sup>. But first let's get our panel's spin on the big story of the week, maybe even the entire session, the passage of a lottery.

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#### **Headline Saturday-Coastal erosion**

half hour discussion of erosion problems along North Carolina coastline. How much development is proper? Guests included Dr. Orin Pilkey of Duke University.

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#### **NC Spin**

On this NC SPIN we will discuss an interesting decision by the Court of Appeals on annexation, look at our state's mid-year economy, and talk about some special interest provisions our legislature slipped into law. But first let's examine a really interesting report on the balance of power within our state.

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#### **Headline Saturday-HIV/drugs costs**

Half hour discussion regarding costs of HIV/AIDS medications. Guests included HIV patient advocate John Paul Womble, AIDS researcher Dr. Kenneth Kline and Duke University social worker Jan Bean.

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#### **NC Spin**

This week our panel will have some fun voting thumbs up or down on several timely topics, we'll talk about a recent ruling by the Attorney General regarding the use of slush funds in the legislature, and a proposed Constitutional Amendment on the lottery, but first let's talk about emergency preparedness in North Carolina and a lady named Ophelia.

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#### **Headline Saturday**

Half hour discussion on water restrictions for Wake County. Guests included, Russell Allen, Raleigh City manager, Elizabeth Gardiner WRAL Meteorologist and Roger Barnes, NC Climate Office.

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#### **NC Spin**

On this edition of NC SPIN we ask our panel to give us their spin on Congresswoman Sue Myrick's campaign against illegal immigrants, we'll talk about disturbing new figures indicating a drop of tourism in our state, and discuss a request by local counties to increase sales tax to build new schools, but first let's decide whether or not we should build new nuclear power plants.

#### **SPECIAL REPORTS/DOCUMENTARIES**

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#### **Immigration Debate**

Some employers quietly welcome undocumented workers to NC where state and local governments provide services. Few are prosecuted. Cullen Browder has the story.

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#### **Roller Derby**

Carolina Rollergirls are the triangle's premiere roller derby league. They mean business. John Bachman caught up with them at practice.

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#### **Wine country**

Tasty tradition is growing in NC. While textile and tobacco manufacturing is decreasing, the wine industry in NC is flourishing. Laurie Clowers has the story.

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#### **Cold Case**

Wake County's oldest unsolved murder may never get solved because the main suspect passed away. Kelcey Carlson talks to investigators and the suspect's family.

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#### **Non-emergency calls**

Gloria Lopez talks to emergency dispatchers about the ridiculous calls that 911 operators receive.

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#### **NC Wise**

A computer system was bought to improve education in NC's public schools but it cost 100 million more than estimated. Cullen Browder investigates.

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#### **NC Wise**

NC bought record keeping software, but now the state is questioning whether their investment was worth it. Cullen Browder explains.

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Imagine going to jail for playful affection toward your baby. That happened to one local man. Cullen Browder has the first television interview.

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#### **Driver's education**

Who should teach teens how to drive? They learn in Driver's Ed, but should parents play a bigger part?

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#### **Stormtrack 2005**

The 2005 Hurricane Season is off to a frantic start! StormTrack 2005 revisits areas slammed by last year's storms and shares lessons learned in the aftermath. WRAL Chief Meteorologist Greg Fishel looks ahead to what this season may hold, while host Bill Leslie looks at how past hurricanes have shaped North Carolina, its residents, and their response to storms. Also included in the half-hour special: the dangers of inland flooding, what FEMA does and doesn't cover, our state's evacuation routes, and Governor Mike Easley talks one on one with Bill Leslie about the state's preparations for the season.

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#### **PC safety**

How safe is your wireless PC? Valonda Calloway talks to the experts.

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#### **Focal Point: Standards of Living**

Documentary shows some of the conditions that many migrant farm workers are forced to live in and looks at the impact that has on them and their families. Through interviews with the workers, advocates and policymakers this documentary examines the problem, its impact on our state and explores possible solutions. WRAL News anchor David Crabtree hosts this program.

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#### **ACC Football Special**

12 teams, instant replay and a championship game in Jacksonville Florida. This ACC football season has lots of BIG TIME changes. WRAL will have them all covered in our half hour special, "ACC Kick Off, the Drive to Jacksonville", hosted by Tom Suiter. In this preview of the season, the radio announcers from Duke, Carolina, and NC State were on with predictions, analysis and lots more.

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#### **Hurricane Relief Special**

Telethon to raise money for Hurricane Katrina victims. More than \$100,000 was raised during the telethon broadcast for the American Red Cross. UNC-TV Public TV also carried the broadcast.

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#### **"Point of Contention"**

In this documentary, WRAL examines the controversial practice of needle exchange and recent efforts to legalize it in North Carolina. "The Point of Contention" profiles people at the heart of the debate – an IV drug user who gets clean needles from a needle exchange program; the director of that underground program in High Point who says he is willing to risk arrest to carry out his mission; and lawmakers and advocates on all sides of the emotional issue.

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#### **Focal Point: "Line in the Sand"**

A WRAL documentary examining the problem of erosion of North Carolina's coast, especially along the Outer Banks, home to some of our state's most famous landmarks. Some scientists say efforts to combat erosion are only making the problem worse and wasting millions in tax dollars. They say major sections of the Outer Banks could be underwater within the next few decades.

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#### **Pops in the Park**

WRAL presents an hour broadcast with the NC Symphony and guest musician, Mike Cross. The Symphony presents our traditional pops fare, *1812 Overture* and *Stars and Stripes Forever*. During the family-friendly, free evening of entertainment, WRAL also collected over \$5,000 for the American Red Cross and Katrina relief efforts.